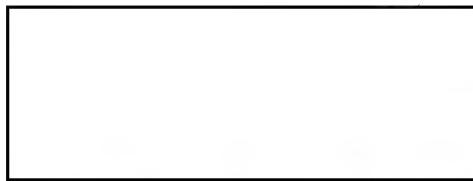


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I have just learned that you are retiring from the federal service and I want to extend best wishes for full enjoyment of the coming years.

Please accept my sincere appreciation for the long and effective service that you have rendered to your government.

With kindest regards.

Sincerely,

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Dulles:

[REDACTED] the night guard in our building here, is retiring at the end of this month. He is taking some leave before he retires and today, 16 May, will be his last day of guard duty. I understand that he has over 21 years of federal service, 17 of which have been spent as a guard in the Administration Building. Sometime during the afternoon or evening, you may wish to say something to him about this. As you recall, last fall, [REDACTED] was planning to retire and we had the attached letter signed for the occasion. If this letter is still all right to go, we will release it.

AAB
16 May 61 *JW*

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